DANVILLE MERCHANTS

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Law in Employment of

Women.

# Miller & Rhoads

Special Sale of

# 600 New Coats!

Spic-Span New, and at Wonderfully Small Prices.

Women's \$12.50 and \$15.00 New Fall Coats at \$9.95

Women's \$18.50 and \$22.50 New Fall Coats at \$14.95

SPECIAL NOTICE: While every Coat in these two lots may be put down as an EXTRAORDINARY GOOD VALUE, there are entirely too many different styles to attempt detailed description of any one. We would, however, call special attention to the group of Coats at \$14.95, many of which are ENCEEDINGLY SMART!

In Addition to the Above Lots are Many Sample Coats at Very Special Prices.

## 1,000 New Fall Suits!

Many Are Sample Garments; Others from Our Regular Lines. ALL ARE FAR BELOW THEIR

Women's and Misses' \$18.50 and \$20.00. New Fall Suits at \$14.95

Women's and Misses' \$22.50 and \$25.00. New Fall Suits

Also, Women's and Misses' \$32.50 and \$35 \$24.95 New Fall Suits at .......

These lots of Suits consist of an amazing assortment of styles, including every new fashion of any prominence and many exact reproductions of high-priced models. An avalanche of materials and a complete assortment of colors and sizes for women and misses.

### Women's Sample Dresses

ONLY ONE DRESS OF A KIND, but every color and all the newest materials are represented. EVERY \$22.50

Sentenced by Justice Gruechfield yesterday to thirty days in full

Election Returns Coming In.

Since last Wednesday hearly cory and I has brought to the office of Section of He Commonwealth Henory Johnson, of Henrico County, Hess, who was returns from the election held on Tuesday. Probably one-third of the office at a late hour reserved when the office at a late hour yesterday afternoon. When the complete returns are in, the State Board of Canvassers are in the state Board of Canvassers are in the state Board of Canvassers are in the state Board of Canvassers are charged with the office at a proclamation directing the enforcement of the law watched the election was the crimora Manganese Company to Have Principal Offices in Hechmond.

A charter was issued yesterday by the State Corporation Commission to a syndicate of capitalists living outside the State who have organized a manganese Corporation Chief Clerk dames if Hayes, Jr. closed the State-wide prohibition election on Tuesday, is charged with cursing and abusing Officer Johnson, the office at a late hour yesterday with cursing and abusing Officer Johnson while in discharge of his duties for the state Board was a state Crimora Manganese Corporation Commission to a syndicate of capitalists living outside the State Corporation Commission to a syndicate of capitalists living outside the State Corporation Commission to a syndicate of capitalists living outside the State Corporation Commission to a syndicate of capitalists living outside the State Corporation Commission to a syndicate of capitalists living outside the State Corporation Commission to a syndicate of capitalists living outside the State Corporation Commission to a syndicate of capitalists living outside the State Corporation Commission t

## SKETCHES FROM LIFE -:- By Temple OLD MASONIC HALL



### TENTATIVE PROGRAM FOR TRADE CONFERENCE

Distinguished Men to Make Addresses Convicted of Violating State Labor Here During the Coming Week.

AFTER SOUTH AMERICAN TRADE PRAISES LOCAL AUTHORITIES

Banking Facilities Between United First Instance of Effort on Part of States and South American Coun- City Officials to Prosecute Without tries to Be Discussed by Prominent Bankers.

The tentative program for the conerence of commercial and industrial with Central and South American coun-

The country is holdings are required by the country to be sold as a whole at public suction, the buyer to deposit a check for \$40,000 as an evidence of his ability to make good his bid.

The Union Treats Company, Limited of Toronto, is the underwriter for \$1,500,000 of first morning and the first of the filed month and Henrico Rallway and the filed his present line and the Marshall street via horse to the more with which to construct its present line and the Marshall street via horse to be officially expected by the filed his order of the Stern of interest was ever paid to the company listed the filed his order of the Stern of the Canadian Trust Company the Law and Equity Court of the application of the Canadian Trust Company has increased by the property it is correctly reported that when the property is the control of the situation for the property in the filed has been the property of the situation of the Congany This company has increased by the property of the situation of the property in the property of the situation of the property in the property of the situation of the property in the property of the situation of the property of the property in the property of the situation of the property of the property in the prope

Blaze in Livery Stable, Next Door, Causes General Alarm.

WAREHOUSE IS SCORCHED

Home of Richmond-Randolph Lodge, Erected in 1875, Has Narrow Escape.

1869 East Franklin Street, spread last resulted in damage amounting to several thousand dollars before it was extinguished three hours later by the

Fire Department.
Policeman Talt, of the First District, noticed fire issuing from the fourth story of the building occupied by J. S. on the scene a second alarm was turned on the scene a second alarm was turned in, bringing Chief Joynes and Assis-tant Chief Raffo. The blazes had then assumed dangerous' proportions, and the third alarm, which summons all the

The warehouse is unattached, except on its northern side and in the rear, where is situated Prucit's stable, and the fire was not a difficult one to control, though there was in the beginning trol, though there was in the beginning an anxlous half hour because of the close proximity of the home of Rich-tond-Randolph Lodge No. 19 A. F. & A. M., on Franklin Street, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth. This building, a frame structure, is the oldest Masonic lodge building in continuous existence in the United States, having been creeted in 1785, and is revered as one of Richmond's most famous landmarks. Its rear wall almost abuts on the warehouse, and it was feared at first that it would be set affire from the sparks pouring from the burning building. One of the first labors of the firemen was to drench the Masonic shrine, and so it was saved.

Seven companies, with their corres-State Prodding, Says Commissioner Doherty.

By the indictment and immediate trial yesterday of four prominent merchants the grand jury of the Corporation Court of the city of Danville forestailed the State Department of Labor, which had been prosecuting an extensive investigation into inno conditions in that city with a view to bringing to

laws have our gratitude and admiration. If the authorities in other cities and counties of the State would emphate Danville, labor conditions would be vastly improved in all parts of the State, and the work of the Department of Labor in the matter of looking after the enforcement of the laws would be greatly facilitated."

Grayson Again Arrested.

Emmett Grayson, colored, who escaped from Police Court three weeks ago, after baving been arraigned on a charge of criminal assault, was captured in Henrico County yesterday by County Officer Seay, and was locked up in the County Jail.

Grayson was recognized by the officer was riding along the Williamsburg Road. He resisted arrest, and a violent struggle ensued. The officer was unarmed, and subdued the negro with his fists.

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No matter what it is, if it is something you value

You carry the only key, and it ought to be worth

highly, something which might be lost, damaged or

stolen, bring it to our Safe Deposit Vault and LOCK

\$3.00 a year to know that your treasure is safe.

The American National Bank,

of Richmond, Virginia. Capital and Surplus - - - - - \$1,600,000 00

Resources - - - - - - - - \$9,300,000 00

Lock It Up

## Get a Derby To-Day

Several sample lines are on sale. Hats worth \$3.00 and \$4.00, Special Price \$1.95.

## Gans-Rady Company

### INEQUALITIES OF TAX ASSESSMENT

	Counti	cs.		
Value of Property, Under \$5.00. \$5.00 to \$1.000. \$1,000 to \$2.500. \$2,500 to \$5.000. \$5,000 to \$10.000. Over \$10.000.	2,965 3,219 1,571	Total Assessment, \$ 718,187 776,978 1,791,994 1,714,282 1,285,946 1,642,118	Total Selling Price, \$1,538,634 1,992,697 4,291,387 5,241,695 4,127,999 5,843,498	Ratio 46.3 35.6 36.6 32.3 31.1 28.1
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Value of Property. Under \$500 to \$1,000 \$1,000 \$1,000	Number of Sales, 921 835	Total Assessment, 3 112,974 335,129	Total Seiling Price. \$ 241,443 575,964	Itatio

### THREATENED BY BLAZE. GROSS INEQUALITIES SHOWN BY COMMISSION

Counties Assess Property at From Six Boys Arrested on Charge of 12 to 33 Per Cent of True Valuations.

RECORD OF SALES

Startling Comparisons Are Ate What They Could, Smoked the Made in Preliminary Report of Body Now Studying Problem of Tax Reform in Virginia.

wealth.

MALO UNE DILESS OF A KIND, but every color and all the interest and experienced and the color brief of the c Northampton, 23.7; Northumberland, 35.9; Nottoway, 43.3; Orange, 41.5; Page, 27.4; Patrick, 29.3; Pittsylvania, 32.6; Powhatan, 36.2; Prince Edward, 44.7 Powhatan, 36.2; Prince Edward, 44.7. Prince George, 42.9; Princess Anne, 28.3; Prince William, 36.3; Pulaski, 23.1; Rappahannock, 33.9; Richmond, 50.2; Roanoke, 30.1; Rockbrige, 36.3; Rockingham, 39.7; Russell, 17.2; Scott, 26.6; Shenandoah, 20.9; Smyth, 24.4; Southampton, 42.9; Spotsylvania, 41.7; Surry, 57.2; Sussex, 56.4; Tazewell, 21.2; Warren, 32.4; Warwick, 56.9; Washington, 29.2; Westmoreland, 50.2; Wise, 29.9; Wythe, 29.9; Vork, 20.2.

ton. 29.2: Westmoreland, 56.2; Wise, 29.7: Wythe, 29.9: York, 32.0. Average for countles, 33.5. Cities—Alexandria, 51.8: Bristol, 47.2: Buena Vista, 59.9: Clifton Forge, 46.5: Charlottesville, 49.2; Danville, 63.8: Fredericksburg, 76.5: Lynchburg, 56.2: Newbort News 70.9 Newsont News 70.9 Newsont News 70.9 Newsont Ne

Fredericksburg, 18.3 Newport News, 70.2; Norfolk, 51.3; Petersburg, 62.9; Portsmouth, 46.7; Radford, 59.7; Richmond, 54.7; Roanoke, 42.7; Staunton, 47.2; Suffolk, 47.4; Wil-Hamsburg, 70.6; Winchester, 44.9

### COLLEGE OPENS MONDAY

Many Students Have Aircady Matrieulated at Well-Known Institution.
Richmond Woman's College will open
its sixly-second session with appropriate exercises in the college chapel
Monday morning, September 28, at 9
o'clock. Prospects for a large attendance this year are unusually good.
More than 200 students have already
matriculated, and it is confidently beleved that the enrollment will reach
a total of 250 before the formal opening of the 1914-1915 session.
Dr. James Nelson is president of the
college, and Miss Helen E. Baker is
dean. New members of the faculty
are Professor H. T. Hunter, in the department of English: Miss Bessle
Stearnes, in the department of languages: Miss Mary Goode, teacher of
expression, and Mrs. von Riter, instructor in vocal. MINISTER OF THE PROPERTY OF THE STREET OF TH

## DETECTIVE INVADES COLORED PUBLIC SCHOOL

Breaking Into and Ransack-

PRICES THEY ADMIT TAKING GOODS

Cigarettes, but Hid the Soap Under Some Bushes, Where It Was

Search for the stolen produce proved futile. One of the boys arrested said

that the gang had eaten everything that was taken. "Soap, too?" inquired the detective.
"No." said the boy. "We hid that
under some bushes, and some one came along and stole it. "How about the eigarettes?" he

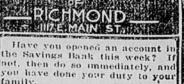
"Smoked," they replied.
All of the boys were bailed for their appearance in the Juvenile Court.

Mrs. W. E. Hatcher Here. Hatcher and Miss Orie L. Hatcher are at the Jefferosn Hotel until Monday.

Commissions were issued for office of Governor Stuart by S Forward yesterday to two new public. They are R. G. Joh serve four years for the ce Notaries Commissioned. years for the county of M. W. Turner,

Roanoke, a like term.

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